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AMENDMENT A

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Responsive to the Office Action mailed June 20, 2002, please make the following
amendments:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, line 1, please delete the present title and replace it with the following:

--FLOW CALCULATION SYSTEM--

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 20 as follows:

20. (Amended) A self-contained flow meter comprising:

a housing;

energy receiving prongs carried by the housing;

a power supply with an input coupled to the prongs;

circuitry, coupled to the power supply, wherein the circuitry stores [a] an expected

flow rate parameter and at least one flow delivery interval;